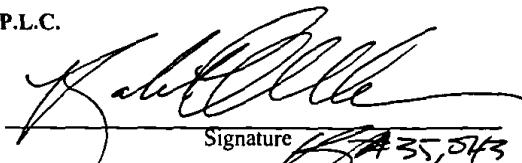| P21325.P01	**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL** (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))	Attorney Docket No. ● P21325	Total Pages
		Inventor(s) or Application Identifier Wolfgang RUF and Hans LOSER	
		Title: LAMELLA OF A HEADBOX OF A PAPER, CARDBOARD, OR TISSUE MACHINE	

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS	ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form
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	9. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
	(if applicable, all necessary)
	  a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
	  b. ☐ Specification Sequence Listing on:
	    i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
	    ii. ☐ paper
	  c. ☐ Statements verifying identity of above copies

2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
  a. ☐ Small Entity
    Statement(s)	

3. ☒ Specification   [Total Pages _24_]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
- Descriptive title of the Invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure
	10 ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
	
	11. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney
	  (when there is an assignee)
	
	12. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
	
	13. ☐ Information Disclosure ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
	  Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
	
	14. ☐ Preliminary Amendment

4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets _3_]	15. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)

5. ☒ Oath or Declaration   [Total Pages _3_]
  a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy) ☐ Unexecuted
  b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
    (for continuation/divisional with Box 20 completed)
    [Note Box 6 below]
    i. ☐ <u>DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)</u>
    Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
	16. ☒ Figure of Drawing to be published____1____
	
	17. ☒ Foreign priority claimed
	  a. ☒ Claim of Priority
	  b. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
	
	18. ☒ Assignee: <u>VOITH PAPER PATENT GMBH of Heidenheim, GERMANY</u>

6. ☐ Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 5b is checked) The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.	19. ☐ Other: _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____
7. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76	
8. ☐ CD-Rom or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program *(Appendix)*	

20. **If a CONTINUING APPLICATION,** check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:
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21. ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
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101	740	201	370	Utility filing fee	$740.00
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107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	_____
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee	_____
114	160	214	80	Provisional filing fee	_____

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2. CLAIMS

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103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim
109	84	209	42	Reissue independent claims over original patent
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105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	_____
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	_____
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	_____
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	_____
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR Prior to Examiner action	_____
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	_____
115	110	215	55	Extension for response within 1st month	_____
116	400	216	200	Extension for response within 2nd month	_____
117	920	217	460	Extension for response within 3rd month	_____
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for response within 4th month	_____
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for response within 5th month	_____
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	_____
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	_____
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	_____
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	_____
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive unavoidably abandoned application	_____
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive unintentionally abandoned application	_____
142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	_____
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	_____
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee	_____
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	_____
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126	180	126	180	Submission of IDS	_____
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Sir:

Applicant hereby claims the right of priority granted pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 119 based upon

German Application No. 100 51 802.8, filed October 18, 2000.

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